



# Missouri Agricultural Prices

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The April Prices Received Index 2011 Base (Agricultural Production), at 130.8, increased 1.9 percent from March but decreased 2.2 percent from April 2022. At 125.6, the Crop Production Index was up 5.8 percent from last month and 2.4 percent from the previous year. The Livestock Production Index, at 135.8, decreased 1.8 percent from March, and 6.2 percent from April last year. Producers received higher prices during April for lettuce, broilers, cattle, and broccoli but lower prices for market eggs, hogs, milk, and apples. In addition to prices, the volume change of commodities marketed also influences the indexes. In April, there was increased monthly movement for strawberries, milk, broilers, and lettuce and decreased marketing of corn, soybeans, hay, and cattle.

## Prices Received Indexes – United States: April 2023 with Comparisons

Index	2011 Base		
	Apr 2022	Mar 2023	Apr 2023
Agricultural Production .....	133.7	128.3	130.8
Crop Production .....	122.6	118.7	125.6
Grains and oilseed .....	122.2	114.6	114.9
Feed grain .....	117.7	111.2	111.6
Food grain .....	131.0	119.0	119.1
Oilseed .....	125.9	118.6	118.4
Livestock Production .....	144.8	138.3	135.8
Meat animal .....	120.0	129.3	131.9
Dairy .....	134.3	105.0	103.0
Poultry and egg .....	215.7	193.0	178.2

## Prices Paid Indexes – United States: April 2023 with Comparisons

Index	2011 Base		
	Apr 2022	Mar 2023	Apr 2023
Prices paid .....	137.6	140.0	139.7
Production .....	137.9	138.4	138.2
Interest <sup>1</sup> .....	128.6	142.7	142.7
Taxes <sup>2</sup> .....	138.1	143.8	143.8
Wage rates .....	153.9	165.8	161.6
Family living-CPI <sup>3</sup> .....	128.6	134.2	134.9
Ratio (received/paid) .....	97	91	94

<sup>1</sup> Interest per acre on farm real estate debt and interest rate on farm non-real estate debt.

<sup>2</sup> Farm real estate taxes payable per acre.

<sup>3</sup> Bureau of Labor Statistics, Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers (CPI-U), converted by the USDA.

## Prices Received for Crops and Livestock – Missouri and United States: April 2023 with Comparisons

Commodity	Missouri		
	April 2022	March 2023	April 2023
Corn .....	7.33	6.81	6.91
Hay, all .....	120.00	136.00	133.00
Alfalfa .....	165.00	165.00	165.00
Other .....	110.00	130.00	125.00
Soybeans .....	16.20	15.20	15.00
Wheat, all .....	10.10	8.05	7.19
Commodity	United States		
	April 2022	March 2023	April 2023
Corn .....	7.07	6.67	6.70
Hay, all .....	219.00	231.00	249.00
Alfalfa .....	257.00	267.00	287.00
Other .....	152.00	171.00	167.00
Oats .....	6.48	4.22	4.04
Sorghum .....	13.20	11.70	12.00
Soybeans .....	15.80	14.90	14.90
Wheat, all .....	10.20	8.34	8.31
Milk, all .....	27.00	21.10	20.70
Calves .....	186.00	230.00	244.00
Cattle, all beef .....	139.00	164.00	171.00
Cows .....	88.10	95.70	99.30
Steers and heifers .....	142.00	167.00	175.00
Hogs, all .....	76.20	61.70	57.00

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